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HEARING VACATED IN MATTER CONCERNING JUDGE PETER J. McBRIEN

The Commission on Judicial Performance announced today that the Examiner's request for a continuance for medical reasons has been granted, and that the hearing to inquire into matters concerning Judge Peter J. McBrien of the Sacramento County Superior Court is continued to a date to be determined.

The hearing before the special masters was scheduled to begin Monday, February 9, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. at the Court of Appeal, Third Appellate District, in Sacramento, California.

A new Notice of Hearing will be issued.

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The Commission is composed of three judges, two lawyers, and six public members. The Chairperson is the Honorable Frederick P. Horn of Orange County Superior Court in Santa Ana, California.

For further information about the Commission on Judicial Performance, see the Commission's Web site at www.cjp.ca.gov.